

A BRIEF PERSONAL HISTORY

Let me introduce myself. My name is Thao Huynh. I'm an Asian. I was born and raised in Vietnam, which has a poor economy. I'm twenty years old. I'm single. I live with my family in Riverdale, Ogden. . In late 2009, my family brought me to United States. My parents would like me to study here, so I can have a better future and become a good citizen. I'm going to talk about my hobbies, my troubles when I started living here and my goals.

First of all, let you know more information about my hobbies. I love going to the mall and shopping with my mother and my sister. It is really great. I can buy anything I want to. I also love traveling and trying new foods that come from around the world. On the weekend, I have many things to do. I really enjoy swimming with my friends. Swimming is my favorite sport. I love it, because it is a lot of exercise and exercise is an important part of staying healthy. So I think swimming is good and keeps me fit and I do really enjoy it. On the other hand, in my free time, I enjoy taking long walks in the park and riding my bike (in the summer). I often talk to my friends in yahoo messenger and face book..... I like to listen to music, sing and reading newspapers. My favorite subject is math; it does not mean I am good at math. I just love math and math is a subject that I study best in. I just love Algebra, and I don't like Geometry. Because Geometry is so complicate and it makes my head go crazy after I find out the solution. Those are all my hobbies.

Second, I came to Utah during Christmas time, so the weather was a lot different from Vietnam where I was born. I saw a lot of snow and I was very cold but it still fun. The

first day of studying and living in America was very strange. I have encountered many difficulties in the acceptance of a new education. The biggest problem for me was the language. Unlike any other knowledge or skill which improves with learning intensity, languages require time, lots of time. That means that while one may learn the nuances of American history in one night of cramming, learning a foreign language requires patience and a regular in the learning process. For being able to integrate into this country, first I needed to know the language of the country where I lived. But this is really hard for an Asian as I am. Initially when begin go to school, although I did not know English but after a few months at school I tried my best to keep up with other classmates to achieve results that were not bad.

Finally, I have many goals and objectives in life. In school and out, my brain will always work to learn new things, and gather new facts. I will knit these facts and experiences into a final product: a treasure of knowledge of education. Now my major is Electronic Engineering, so I will earn my Bachelor's degree in college. So I can simultaneously receive multiple scholarships, and even higher is earned master's degrees. In addition, I will concentrate on learning good at the same time doing a job related to my industry expertise to be able to apply the knowledge I have learned into practice. I think if I am in good educational environment, it will boost the competitiveness of personally in studying, and will bring me more new wisdom and maturity. I will have brilliant successes and will bring me new confidence in standards. Till then, I will bring my wisdom to benefit

society. Those are my Goals. I want to learn everything I can, love everyone who will let me, and live a life full of experiences, good and bad.

In conclusion, I think I'm very lucky to be living and studying in the U.S. As a student, we must be aware of the important of learning, enhance the knowledge, and experience. So, my strong point is that I could easily have been used to study and work in a new environment, get along with many friends and joined a working group at every opportunity for career development. That is all about me, hope you will find it interesting when you read it.